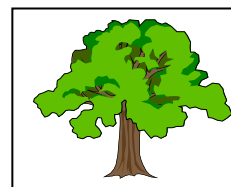


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Learning Today for a Better Tomorrow

20th March 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

School Closure from Friday 20th March at 3pm

This is a very strange letter to write. This is a very challenging and worrying time for us all as we face an uncertain few months ahead.

One thing is for certain, though, it will get better - it may take some time, but things will improve and life will return to normal, and we will come out of the other side stronger and grateful for the things in life which we have previously taken from granted - like being able to go to the shops and buy toilet roll!!

In the interim period, School will stay open only for the children of essential key workers and particular vulnerable children. Please contact the School Office immediately if you think this applies to your child.

For those of you at home, there is an extensive list of web addresses on our website www.greensted-inf.essex.sch.uk that you can access to look at a whole range of activities with your children as well as a suggested timetable if you wish to add structure to your day. I will also add some specific ideas for individual year groups. We will try and regularly update the website with new ideas. Please feel free to email the school admin@greensted-inf.essex.sch.uk if you would like any advice about your child's next steps in learning - we will do our best to get back to you promptly.

Your child's annual school report will be emailed or posted to you in the week beginning 30th March.

If you have not been in school during the last week because of self-isolation - when you are able to, please feel free to come to school and pick up your child's PE kit and any inhalers that we may hold for you here.

These are trying times for everyone - I would like to thank every single staff member for their commitment to our School and your children over the last week.

Please stay safe and healthy, avoiding social contact as much as possible - we all look forward to welcoming you back to Greensted Infants and Nursery when the current situation subsides. When we are able to re-open, we will post details on our website, the Greensted Parents Facebook page and contact you directly via Studybugs.

With very best wishes to you all,

Jo Farrow

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